

Title (en)

A method for controlling a multi-gradation display and a multi-gradation display device.

Title (de)

Steuermethode für Anzeigen mit Mehrfach-Farbabstufung und Anzeige mit Mehrfach-Farbabstufung.

Title (fr)

Méthode de contrÔle d'un affichage à gradations multiples et dispositif d'affichage à gradations multiples.

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP0384403A2] A method is disclosed for controlling a multi-gradation display. The method comprises the selective lighting or not lighting in the unit of frame a number of dots distributed in a matrix on a two-dimensional display panel of a display, whereby the dots turned on or not turned on are made effective for display of an image to display the image in multi-gradations. The effective dot matrix determining a distribution of the effective dots decided by turning on or not turning on a number of dots in the unit of frame is generated in at least two kinds of sizes which are different from each other in at least one of the direction of row of the effective dot matrices and column thereof, in accordance with a gradation of the image to be displayed.

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